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I hereby appoint Doug Schnabel, registration number P-47,927, as my associate attorney in this case. His telephone number is (517) 686-3462.

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Respectfully submitted,

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